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### PLUG SMOKING TOBACCO

### The Trend of Population and Power

"Go West, Young Man." Such was the advice tendered by a great American to the youth of the United States back in the last century. It was based, probably, upon a knowledge of the vast resources and wealth of opportunities of that then largely unsettled area. It may also have resulted from a study of the movements of people throughout the ages of the past, pointing to the historical fact that "westward the course of empire takes its way." At all events it is interesting to note that, for some reason or other, the movement of this world's population is largely from the east to the west.

In the dim dark ages of the past, Europe was settled by the migrations of people from Asia; Christopher Columbus and the other intrepid navigators who followed him opened the way for the great movement of people across the Atlantic from the countries of the old world to the new western world of the Americas; and on this continent the trek of people has constituted a steady stream from east to west. We speak of Japan as in the Far East, but even there the advice and slogan to-day is "Go West, Young Man,"—west into the new Japanese protectorate being carved out of Manchuria on the mainland of Asia.

In Canada we are, of necessity, profoundly interested in this trend of population to the west. It has already had a tremendous effect upon national and economic policies in this Dominion, and it is certain to have an even greater significance in the years that lie ahead. Nor is it without its significance and value that this movement of population in Canada parallels the similar movement which has occurred and is still continuing to the south of the international boundary line of the 49th parallel.

The extent and rapidity of this western movement of population is revealed in a recent article in the Canadian Geographical Journal under the title "The Centre of Population Moves Westward," based on figures revealed by the census taken every ten years. As recently as forty years ago, (1891), only 7.2% of the population of Canada was to be found in the four Western Provinces, but that percentage has risen by progressive steps until at the last census taking, (1931), 29.5% of Canada's population resided west of the Great Lakes.

At the time of Confederation, the centre of population in Canada was near the city of Montreal; at the time of the last census in 1931 the centre of population had moved westward nearly 450 miles and was found to be located near Sault Ste. Marie, and practically 300 miles of this westward travel has taken place since the beginning of the present boundary.

Not only is the centre of Canada's population moving westward, but it is also moving northward. This is accounted for by two major factors,—the opening of the vast mineral regions of the pre-Cambrian area, and the fact that the Western Provinces lie in higher latitudes.

This movement of the centre of population steadily westward is, as already stated, having a pronounced effect upon both the political and economic life of Canada. Under our constitution, representation in the Parliament of Canada is based upon population; consequently the determining influence in national policies is steadily shifting westward, and the voice and views of the West becoming stronger. To-day, practically one-third of Canada's population resides west of the Great Lakes. If the same trend of population westward continues, albeit not quite so marked as since 1901, a few more decades will witness political power almost equally divided between east and west, with all that such equality in political power may mean in the national policies of the Dominion.

Coincident with this shift of the centre of population, and as the natural and inevitable result of it, the centre of manufacturing activity likewise moves westward. In 1890, the centre of manufactures was about midway between Kingston and Pembroke in Ontario; now, forty years later, it is about midway between Sudbury and Sault Ste. Marie, and is, therefore, only about 60 miles behind that of population, whereas in the United States the centre of manufactures is nearly 180 miles behind that of population in its westward movement.

With the opening up of the northern mineral areas of Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta,—which gives promise of being the next major development in the West as it was in Ontario and Quebec in recent years,—and with the development of the Churchill-Hudson Bay route, another change will take place in the economic relationship as between east and west and further impetus given to the western movement.

Such developments are bound to have a marked effect upon both the political and economic life of this Dominion. It is true that as the centre of population and of manufacturing moves west the counter pull of the east increases, and it is to be expected, therefore, that the westward movement of those centres will not be as rapid as in the years of heavy immigration and the settling of the prairie areas. But the northern development of the western half of the Dominion will assist in maintaining the western movement. The advice and slogan to youth to-day is not merely "Go West," but also "Go North."

### THAT DEPRESSED FEELING IS LARGELY LIVER

Wake up your Liver Bile —Without Calomel

You are "feeling punk" simply because your liver isn't pouring its daily two pounds of liquid bile into your bowels. Digestion and elimination are both hampered, and your entire system is living poisoned.

What you need is a liver stimulant. Something that goes farther than salts, mineral water, oil, laxative candy or chewing gum or roughage which only move the bowels—ignoring the real cause of trouble, your liver.

Take Carter's Little Liver Pills. Purely vegetable. No harsh calomel (mercury). Safe. Sure. Ask for them by name. Refuse substitutes. See at all druggists.

### Rubber From Flowers

Herman E. Pitman, chemist of St. Louis, is seeking to obtain patent protection for a formula by which he claims 60 per cent. of the rubber requirements of the United States may be extracted from a species of the poinsettia. The plant, common as a decoration at Christmas time, thrives in southern states.

One secret of success is the ability to keep your own secrets.

W. N. U. 2074

### Canada's Destitute Blind

No Provision Yet Made In Regard To Pension

Canada takes far better care of her criminals than of her destitute blind, Philip E. Layton, president and founder of the Montreal Association for the Blind, declared at the 26th annual meeting.

Australian blind received a pension at the age of 16, he explained. New Zealand had also devised effective legislation to insure the welfare of her blind population. Not only did blind people receive a pension in Great Britain, but the earnings of blind workers were supplemented by the government and this was done despite the heavy taxation burden placed on the shoulders of the British people. Mr. Layton commented. Both in Northern Ireland and the Free State pensions were granted to the blind.

In Canada there is no system of pension for the blind. The way of the blind was particularly hard. Even those who hold university degrees or diplomas for the teaching of music or have the necessary qualifications for tuning musical instruments, find it most difficult to obtain positions, he said.

### New Problem For Montreal

Latest Racket Is Stealing Valuable Dogs To Collect Reward

The latest racket to make its appearance in Montreal is that of dog-napping, or dog-kidnapping or whatever you call it.

Not only is this activity causing much consternation to the local police authorities, but it is also bringing sorrow to dog-lovers, many of whom have been victimized. The individuals involved in this heartless traffic snatch the canines from under the noses of their owners and either collect a reward for the animals' return or sell them to kennels. J. R. Innes, head of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals in Quebec, reports this racket is assuming alarmingly large proportions.

The dog-snatchers are expert in judging canine values with the result that only the more expensive types of dogs are disappearing. They have also devised a process of dyeing the dog's hair so that recognition is almost impossible.

If the owner of some expensive type of dog refuses to pay the demanded reward, the canine is dyed and shipped to some other city and there sold at a profitable sum.

### Squirrel Fights Hawk

Succeeds In Killing Bird After Duel In Air

A duel to the death in mid-air between a hawk and a squirrel is reported by an amateur naturalist in Schweinitz, Silesia. On the border of a forest near the town, he saw a hawk fluttering in clumsy circles close to the ground, with a small animal wriggling in its talons. Finally both plunged to earth. A moment later the observer saw a squirrel, bleeding from many wounds, drag itself free and scramble up a nearby pine tree. The hawk lay dead, with blood pouring from a wound in its throat.

### Three Sugars In Honey

Levulose (fruit sugar), one of the three sugars found in honey, is non-granulating and is usually the predominating one. The other two sugars are dextrose (grape sugar) and sucrose (cane sugar). Dextrose is a rapid granulating sugar. Sucrose is present in honey only in very small quantities.

### Sure Signs

of kidney troubles are pain in the back, difficult urination, deposits in urine. Gin Pills relieve kidney trouble by gently soothing and healing the inflamed tissues. 50c a box at all druggists.



## New Plan Helps Mothers Solve Problem of Colds

Mothers Adopt Plan by the Makers of Vicks VapoRub for Better Control of Colds in the Home.

### Introduced with the Remarkable New Aid in Preventing Colds—Vicks Va-tro-nol

Every mother is burdened with the problem of colds—especially the frequent colds of children. It is good news indeed, then, that the makers of Vicks VapoRub have perfected a Plan for Better Control of Colds in the home. The helpfulness of Vicks Plan in reducing the number and duration of colds has been tested by physicians—and proved in everyday home use by thousands.

#### Trial Offer to Vicks Users

Vicks Plan is introduced along with the new Vicks Va-tro-nol, based on a new idea for preventing colds—companion product to Vicks VapoRub, the modern method of treating colds. Get a bottle of the new preparation and keep it beside your jar of VapoRub—for use as directed below. Unless you are delighted with the results, your druggist is authorized to refund your money.

Here, briefly, is how Vicks Plan works:

#### To Help Prevent Many Colds

When children come in sniffing and sneezing, apply Vicks Va-tro-nol up each nostril. Use Va-tro-nol yourself at that first scratchy, sneezy irritation of the nose and upper throat. Va-tro-nol stimulates the functions Nature has provided—in the nose—to prevent colds, and to throw off colds in their early stages. Its timely use helps to avoid many colds entirely.

#### To Help Shorten a Cold

If a cold strikes without warning, or slips by every precaution (as some colds always will) depend on Vicks VapoRub. Just rubbed on throat and chest, it attacks the cold direct—two ways at once—by stimulation through the skin, like a poultice or plaster—and by inhalation of its medicated vapors direct to inflamed air-passages. This combined action loosens phlegm, soothes irritated membranes, helps break congestion.

Together with the use of these two products, Vicks Plan contains certain simple rules of health for building resistance to colds. Have your family follow Vicks Plan and help them to greater freedom from colds. Full details of the Plan are in each Vicks package.

### YOUR HANDWRITING REVEALS SECRETS OF YOUR CHARACTER

By LAWRENCE HIBBERT (Grapho-Analyst)

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(Editor's Note: Many letters of appreciation have been received from readers, who find these articles on Character from Handwriting fascinating and of absorbing interest. Read the authors offer to you at the end of this article.)

One of the most interesting features about Grapho-Analysis, the science of Character Reading from Handwriting, is the opportunity it presents of finding the truth about oneself.

Oh, wad some power the giftie gie us To see oursel's as ithers see us! —Burns.

Burns spoke truly when, in those memorable lines, he expressed the inability of people to really know themselves. Grapho-Analysis provides the key that opens the door of self-knowledge.

Nearly a year ago, a young lady wrote to me, and explained that she could not keep her friends. She was good-looking, and cultured, and had a good personality. She could make friends—but she could not keep them!

A glance at her handwriting suggested the reason. She was inclined to indulge in sarcasm, and her wit was rather biting. No wonder she lost her friends.

I told her the truth. I suggested that she curb this tendency, and cultivate a more sympathetic demeanour towards people.

Not so long ago, I had a letter from her, in which she expressed her gratitude for my advice, and told me that she no longer found her friends deserting her. She had cured herself of her sarcastic habit.

The unfortunate thing about bad habits is that, in many instances, we do not know that we are guilty. A friendly suggestion often opens our eyes to the truth.

That is where the Grapho-Analyst is able to be of great help to you.

B.J., Winnipeg.—You have a very great emotional capacity. And you are very expressive of your emotions. They sweep you along. You must gain control over them. Of course, it will not be easy, but it is worth the effort. As it is now, you are swept hither and yon, without any mind control, and you are likely to do things, and say things, that you will bitterly regret afterwards.

W. J. S. Regina.—Yours is a very reserved nature. You feel things readily, but you are backward in expressing your feelings. You carry your reserve almost to a point of coolness, and alienate friends, against your will. The cure in your case lies within yourself. Try and cultivate a more open and friendly disposition. Be sympathetic towards people and their troubles. You do not have to be gushing; in fact, you never could be. But you can show your interest in people and sympathize with them. You will find that people will reciprocate, and you will be better liked. At the present time, you do feel for those people and their worries, but you do not show this feeling.

Do you want to know the weak points in your character? The author will tell you what you are really like. And would you like to know what your friends really are? Send specimens of the writing you want analysed, and enclose 10c coin for each specimen. Send with 3c stamped addressed envelope, to: Lawrence Hibbert, care of Winnipeg Newspaper Union, 175 McDermot Ave., Winnipeg, Man. Letters are entirely con-

fidential, and replies will be forwarded as soon as possible, but please allow at least two weeks for your reply.

### Anti-Grasshopper Campaign

Estimate Of Wheat Saved In Western Provinces Is 25,383,000 Bushels

The anti-grasshopper campaigns saved \$17,768,000 for farmers of all three prairie provinces, according to a Searle Grain Company report. The estimate of wheat saved for Alberta, Saskatchewan and Manitoba was 25,383,000 bushels.

Unofficial information gives the cost of fighting the grasshopper pest in all three provinces as considerably less than \$1,000,000.

Alberta's campaign accomplished the greatest saving of the three provinces: 11,339,000 bushels or 18.11 per cent. of the harvest.

Saskatchewan saved 9,632,000 bushels or 21.59 per cent. of the harvest.

In Manitoba 4,412,000 bushels were saved or 15.09 per cent. of the harvest.

Grasshopper infestation wreaked a loss of 14,343,000 bushels of wheat; in Alberta, 3,997,000 bushels; in Saskatchewan, 6,344,000 bushels, and in Manitoba, 4,002,000 bushels.

### United States Sends Protest

Complains To Persia Regarding Treatment Of Aviators

The United States has formally protested to Persia against the reported discourtesy shown there recently to two United States entrants in the England-Australia air race.

In a note that made no pretence of friendliness, detailing the treatment accorded John H. Wright and John Polando when they made a forced landing, Oct. 23, between Moammerah and Abadan because of minor engine trouble, the United States said it was "at a loss to understand" the action of the Persian authorities.

Although granted Persian permission to fly across that country and land there if necessary, Wright and Polando were detained 24 hours and subsequently withdrew from the race at Karachi, India.

The Acropolis in Athens even in ruins is one of the world's most famous pieces of architecture.

### Bad Weather Hard On Human Skin

Cold winds, rain and snow are the cause of much irritation and soreness of hands, neck and face. Bad weather dries up the skin; causes dryness and irritation; and eventually cracking and chapping.

Since 1875, millions of men and women have relied on Hinds Honey and Almond Cream for greater skin protection and skin comfort in bad weather. A smooth, creamy lotion, Hinds Honey and Almond Cream gives relief immediately upon application. It soothes and heals raw, chapped skin, cooling and taking the sting right out.

Applied before exposure, Hinds Honey and Almond Cream supplies added moisture to your skin, protecting it from windburn and raw, damp air. Use Hinds generously on your face and hands immediately after washing. Sold at all drug stores.



## Says Production On Farms Should Be Governed By The Requirements Of The Market

Consumer research and adaptation of its findings to production were advocated as the solution of agricultural problems by Dr. Horace Barton, deputy minister of agriculture, in an address. He was speaking at a dinner of the eastern Ontario branch of the Canadian Society of Technical Agriculturists.

"Consumption has been taken too much for granted in the past," the government said. "It should be examined thoroughly in all phases. Canadian farmers should find out what appeals to Canadians and direct production accordingly. They had been looking too much to the export market."

Service to the consumer should be the object of all production, Dr. Barton believed. This solution he placed in opposition to three previously advanced solutions for glutted markets of alternative production, control of production and elimination of production or producer.

Cost of marketing was relatively higher than production cost, he declared. There were too elaborate facilities in a very complicated marketing machinery, though necessary to transfer produce from 750,000 farmers to 10,000,000 people. Although there had been a tendency to centralize marketing, the farmer was having less and less to do with it. "The farmer does not understand the system, but he must produce to live and he had no alternative but to accept the price offered."

Marketing was a mental state and the only approach to the problem was through a research-mind. Material of the problem should be investigated, examined and analyzed.

Great Britain was determined to bring her farmers back to prosperity and to carry out the provisions of the Marketing Act, said E. D. Barrow, former minister of agriculture in British Columbia. He recently returned from a visit to the British Isles. Already improvement was to be seen among the farmers.

### Observations Were Useful

#### U.S. Dairy Industry Department Discovers Facts About Making Butter

Each fat globule in cream carries an electric charge investigators in the dairy industry department of the University of Wisconsin have discovered in an investigation into the time it takes to make butter out of cream. They found this time varied with the degree of acidity of the cream, and that the amount of electricity also varied with this factor. There is no danger of getting an electric shock from drinking a glass of milk or from the more concentrated charges in a pat of butter, as experience has shown. They found that the observations were useful, nevertheless because it gave them a means of controlling the fat losses and in reducing the time required to make butter. The less acid the cream the stronger the negative charge on the fat globules. The more acid the cream the less negative was the charge, and finally a point was reached at which the decreasing acidity resulted in an increasing positive charge on the globules.

### Incense Still Fragrant

#### Produces Aromatic Fumes Although Believed 2,000 Years Old

Incense more than 2,000 years old has been found by archaeologists in the Balitsk sand bank near Taganrog on the Sea of Azov. The incense, a mixture of pitch and vegetable oils, still produces aromatic fumes when set burning. It was found in a number of ancient black lacquer vessels on the site of a Scythian burial ground dating from the second or third century B.C.

Generous Housewife — "And how would you like a nice chop?"

Wary Tramp—"Dat all depend, lady—is it lamb, pork or wood?"

A U.S. warship bought 15,000 pounds of beef at a Florida drug store. The captain happened in to get a bottle of maulage.

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### Twenty-Six Million Eggs

#### Most Prolific Of Food Fishes Is The Ling

The ling, the most prolific of food fishes, lays over 26,000,000 eggs during the spawning period while the herring only averages 36,000. The turbot is the second most prolific fish, averaging 9,000,000 eggs while the cod comes next with 5,000,000. All this seems contradictory when one considers the millions of herrings landed annually compared with the number of other fishes. The reason is that all the eggs laid by these fish do not come to maturity. The eggs of the ling for instance, float on the water and many are eaten by other fish. The herrings' eggs sink and thus escape destruction. The amount of fish landed in Britain last year was 16,116,132 cwt., valued at £13,981,546.



By Ellen Worth



SIMPLE DAYTIME DRESS

Draped to give a soft line at the throat.

Dark green mossy crepe was selected for the original with decorative gold clip and belt buckle.

You can copy this very model. Even if you are an amateur at sewing, you won't experience the least bit of difficulty in making it.

Fleeced tweedy sheer woolen in wine red is another attractive scheme, decidedly smart and practical.

For "dress-up" occasions, bright sapphire blue transparent velvet with rhinestone clip and buckle, is exquisitely lovely. Line the drape with silver lame.

Style No. 950 is designed for sizes 14, 16, 18 years, 36, 38 and 40 inches bust. Size 16 requires 3½ yards of 39-inch material with ¼ yard 18-inch or wider contrasting.

Price of pattern 20 cents in stamps or coin (coin is preferred). Wrap coin carefully.

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### Modern Craze For Speed

#### Has Become Sort Of Disease With Some People

Citing speed records made by trains recently the Ottawa Journal asks "Why the hurry?" In these days, the Journal says, a person may pick up a telephone and speak to anybody almost anywhere, or send a wire, so it can't be terribly important that he may get to a destination a day or a few hours sooner than ordinarily, shooting along at 118 miles an hour on a train weighing thousands of tons to do so.

Isn't it the truth that it's the man who is usually going nowhere in particular or who has time to burn on his hands who has the greatest craving for speed? Take some motorists. They will drive like fury through the country passing everything in sight and at the end of the journey kill hour after hour of time doing nothing. The man who has a real honest-to-goodness mission to fulfil generally takes a reasonable amount of time to make the journey; his chief aim is to get there safely.

This craving for speed has become a sort of disease with some people. It isn't fair, however, to find fault with the railroads for creating faster trains. They have to cater to people who want speed and if those people do not receive such service from the railroads they will patronize the airlines or whatever else gets them through space in record time.—St. Thomas Times-Journal.

### Nothing New About It

#### Noted World Figures Had Wives Older Than Themselves

Miss Martha Dickinson, who issues marriage licenses at Windsor, Ontario, notes a tendency of men to marry women older than themselves. In reality there is nothing new about that. Among world noted figures Shakespeare when 18 years of age married Ann Hathaway then 26. The famous British statesman D'Israeli was much younger than his spouse and there are many other similar instances. Among ordinary folk a like disparity frequently exists and probably always will do so.—Brantford Expositor.

The hedgehog cactus of Mexico can live five years without a drop of water. When it rains it fills up its central pithy section until it swells to nearly twice its normal size.

## Central Seed Cleaning Plant System Developing Steadily During The Past Ten Years

### Secret Of His Success

#### Great Polish Pianist Practices Many Hours Every Day

Ignace Paderewski was, and possibly still is, the greatest piano player in the world. At any rate his name is surrounded by more glamor than any other pianist living, and despite the fact that he is nearly 75 years of age, he is the greatest drawing card before the public so far as piano art is concerned.

A noted New York music critic visited him at his home in Paris recently to see if he had anything to say about his forthcoming tour in the United States. "What am I doing?" he repeated, echoing the interviewer's question. "I am working hard to polish my technique."

So the mighty Paderewski is still trying to improve his technique. And there are lots of great players before the public who feel that they would be better than they are if they could play even less well than the famous Pole.

The truly great artist is never satisfied. The truly great artist is constantly striving to do even better. Paderewski, who practices six or seven hours a day when preparing for a tour, says that if he misses one day's practice he notices a difference himself; if he misses two days the critics notice it; if he misses three days the public notices it.—St. Thomas Times-Journal.

### Potato Yield Higher

#### All Provinces Except Saskatchewan And Alberta Showed Increase

An increase of 5,447,000 hundred-weight in the estimated yield of potatoes throughout Canada compared with 1933 is shown in the potato, root and fodder crop report issued by the Dominion bureau of statistics. This was due to an increase of 41,000 in the acreage and four cwt., in the yield per acre. All provinces except Saskatchewan and Alberta showed increases, particularly good harvests being reported from the Maritime provinces.

## The SNAPSHOT GUILD

### BABY PICTURES



No doubt about it, the babies themselves "directed" these snapshots. In other words, they did as they pleased and the camera was clicked at the right instant.

There aren't any official statistics that we know of, so we're perfectly safe in saying that babies constitute the largest single group of snapshot subjects.

It's perfectly reasonable that this should be so; for we snapshot those things in which we are most interested. For another thing, babies make ideal subjects, because they don't pose. They're always natural.

There are baby pictures and baby pictures, of course. Some arouse spontaneous enthusiasm; others are merely records, without much appeal.

What's the essential difference between the good and the merely so-so baby pictures. Usually you'll find, the good pictures show infants doing something—crawling, chewing a doll, wrestling with toes, or even indulging in a real good cry. The merely so-so pictures give us only recognizable glimpses of babies doing nothing much at all.

Of course, it's possible to take a picture of a sleeping baby and get a charming result. But to do this, the camera work must be unusual. Very well, what about the technique of baby pictures?

First, you'll need to have light enough for action pictures. Few babies stay still long enough for time exposures. Out-of-doors, you'll have no trouble at all working in

open shade or out in the full light, providing it's not so bright that it casts unpleasantly sharp shadows or causes the baby to squint. Use the regular snapshot time and lens opening.

This time of year, of course, it may be more convenient to work indoors. One of the easiest ways to take baby pictures indoors, during the daytime, is to get the subject fairly close to a big window (not necessarily a sunny one) and then use a photo-flood-type lamp to light up the side of your subject that's away from the window. A photo-flood bulb in one of those inexpensive reflectors will be found very handy for this and other indoor shots. If there's a lot of light coming from the window, you'll be able to use a regular snapshot exposure. For surety's sake, better work with the lens at its widest opening. Wait until your subject strikes an interesting pose; then click the shutter and the picture's yours.

Don't forget that you can use supersensitive film to get beautiful action shots with much less light than other films require.

And let your baby subject "direct" his own picture. Let him do as he pleases, with only slight suggestions from you. So doing, you'll get real looking, satisfying pictures. And you'll always treasure them.

JOHN VAN GUILDER.

The seed grower who markets his seed cleaned and graded has the same status as the manufacturer who turns out a finished article and thereby realizes the highest return for his product. Further, the farmer who sells a finished product has a definite incentive to produce the best, while on the other hand the low prices obtained by weed infested crops constitute the hard lesson by which the grower learns to improve his methods and produce cleaner crops.

Comparatively few farmers are equipped with the means for properly cleaning the seed they grow. The carefully operated fanning mill will clean grain satisfactorily only when the common impurities are to be taken out, but under the ordinary farm conditions it is almost impossible to accomplish similar results with clover and timothy seed. Fortunately, the central cleaning plant system has been developing steadily during the past ten years, and has become a highly specialized business in several areas, particularly in the Ottawa Valley district. These central cleaning plants, equipped with several types of machines for cleaning and grading seed of cereals, clovers, grasses, and other farm crops, are performing services of inestimable value to the various communities but more especially to the farmers who have seed as a cash crop. The plants are being operated successfully at moderate rates for seed cleaning and have been established either with or without government financial assistance. A three-unit plant, provided with complete machinery and equipment, is equal to the seed cleaning requirements of most farm communities and costs about \$1,200.

Added to the advantage of being able to grow bigger and better crops, the seed producer, particularly of clover and timothy, owes a further benefit to the central cleaning plant. His seed, well cleaned and brought to the highest grade obtainable by the skilful use of the most up-to-date machinery, can now be marketed at its full value, while growers who are obliged to sell their seed in the rough are realizing returns from 25 to 50 per cent. less. This contrast was fully demonstrated this season, growers in the Ottawa Valley receiving as much as from 18 to 21 cents per pound for timothy seed, cleaned and graded No. 1, while in other parts of the province of Ontario farmers are reported as receiving 10 cents per pound for seed of similar quality, but uncleaned.

Raising the standard of the seed used of both grain and forage crops, with increased yields, is a result directly attributable to the central cleaning plan in every community in which one has been established, and in the Ottawa Valley, apart from the fact that the 24 central cleaning plants in 1933 turned out 75,000 pounds of grass and clover seed, sealed as Certified No. 1 grade, and 8,000 bushels of cereal seed of Registered grades, the improvement in yield and quality through the cleaning plants was extended to barley growers as well. Large quantities of high class barley are now being produced in that area and are now finding a ready and profitable market with malting companies in Canada. The malting companies accept the grain without cleaning before shipping, over 200 carloads of malting barley being shipped out of the Ottawa Valley in 1933, and more than 250 from this year's crop.

### Scotland Likes Canadian Eggs

The following is an extract from a report by the Canadian Trade Commissioner in Scotland on recent shipments of Canadian eggs to that country: "The consignees state that the Canadian egg this fall turned out very well indeed, and are a credit to Canadian shippers. They hope that the shippers will keep up this high standard of quality and thus help to encourage the trade."

Airplanes cannot fly in an inverted position for any great distance.

More than 467,000 tons of water pass over Niagara Falls every minute.



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and Holub the outstanding stars of  
the game. Brusco scored 4 goals  
unassisted and got an assist on the  
last two Didsbury markers, the twine  
being bulged in each case by Ranton  
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the other three goals.

Mike Holub played a stellar game  
in goal for the locals, time and time  
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### Reduction in Motor Licenses

Reduction of approximately \$5  
in the license fee for the lower-  
priced passenger autos, up to 115  
inches, to take effect at the first of  
the year when all motor licenses  
are due, is announced by Premier  
Reid, following a survey of the  
motor license situation by the cab-  
inet. There will be no change in  
the license year.

Subsequently it is the intention  
of the government, states Mr. Reid,  
to raise the tax on gasoline by one  
cent, bringing the tax to seven  
cents per gallon. This will be a  
feature of the budget to be present-  
ed at the forthcoming session of the  
legislature.

The usual reductions granted in  
license fees at April 1, July 1, and  
November 1, will be carried  
through, applying to the reduced  
fees as announced, as well as to  
other fees.

The reduction in fees will make  
the license on all cars not exceeding  
100-inch wheel base \$10 instead of  
the present \$15, on cars not over  
105-inch wheel base \$12.50 instead  
of \$17.50, on cars not over 110  
inches \$15 instead of \$20, and on  
cars not over 115 inches \$20 instead  
of \$22.50. Cars over the 115-inch  
wheel base will be licensed at the  
same rates as at present.

There will be a reduction of \$1  
also in the license fees for all motor  
vehicles manufactured eight years  
previous to January 1 of the cur-  
rent license year, the fee for such  
cars with 100-inch wheel base being  
\$8 instead of \$9, and so on up to  
cars not exceeding 120 inches in  
wheel base.

The proposed increase in gasoline  
tax, stated Mr. Reid, will put the  
province on the same basis as Brit-  
ish Columbia and Manitoba, whose  
tax has been seven cents for some  
years. The three Maritime provinces  
have a tax of eight cents, while  
Ontario and Quebec are six cents.

## BIRTHS

On Wednesday, December 26  
1934, to Mr. and Mrs. C. R. For-  
a daughter, Joyce Yvonne.

On Saturday, December 29, 1934  
to Mr. and Mrs. O. Folkmann,  
a son.

## Doings Of Our Neighbors.

At Innisfail: The Bank of Com-  
merce closed its branch at Innisfail  
on Dec. 31st. It is reported that  
57 branches of different banks in  
Alberta closed at the end of last  
month.

The Innisfail Curling Club held  
their annual bonspiel on Dec. 26-  
27-28.

At Carstairs: East Carstairs  
Mutual Telephone Company has  
been formed, consisting of 7 rural  
lines which carried 49 old subscrib-  
ers. 74 subscribers have signed up  
and paid their deposits making a  
total of 25 new subscribers.

The East Company has already  
built a mile and a half of line for  
their new subscribers.

Andy: "What makes that dog  
howl like that?"

Handy: "You don't mean to  
tell me he howls like that just be-  
cause he's lazy?"

Andy: "Yes, boss, he's just lazy  
that's all."

Handy: "I don't believe it, you  
must have done something to him."

Andy: "No, suh, I done nuthin'  
to him, he's just sitting on an ant-  
hill an' he's too lazy to get off."

## Leaves for Missionary Field.

Mrs. Florence Findlay left on  
Saturday to take up duties in the  
missionary field at Zebba, Nigeria,  
West Africa.

She will sail on the Duchess of  
Atholl on January 11 for Liverpool,  
and from there will go aboard ship  
for West Africa.

The work is not new to Mrs.  
Findlay, she having served several  
years in the mission fields previous-  
ly. She expects to be away three  
years.

### Evangelical Church Notes

The Sunday School will hold its  
annual meeting and election of offi-  
cers at the morning service on Sun-  
day, January 6, 1935. The Pastor  
will bring a short message on the  
theme, "Christ the Great Teacher." In  
the evening the sermon subject  
will be, "God's Forgiveness."

### CARD OF THANKS

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who cared for the children during  
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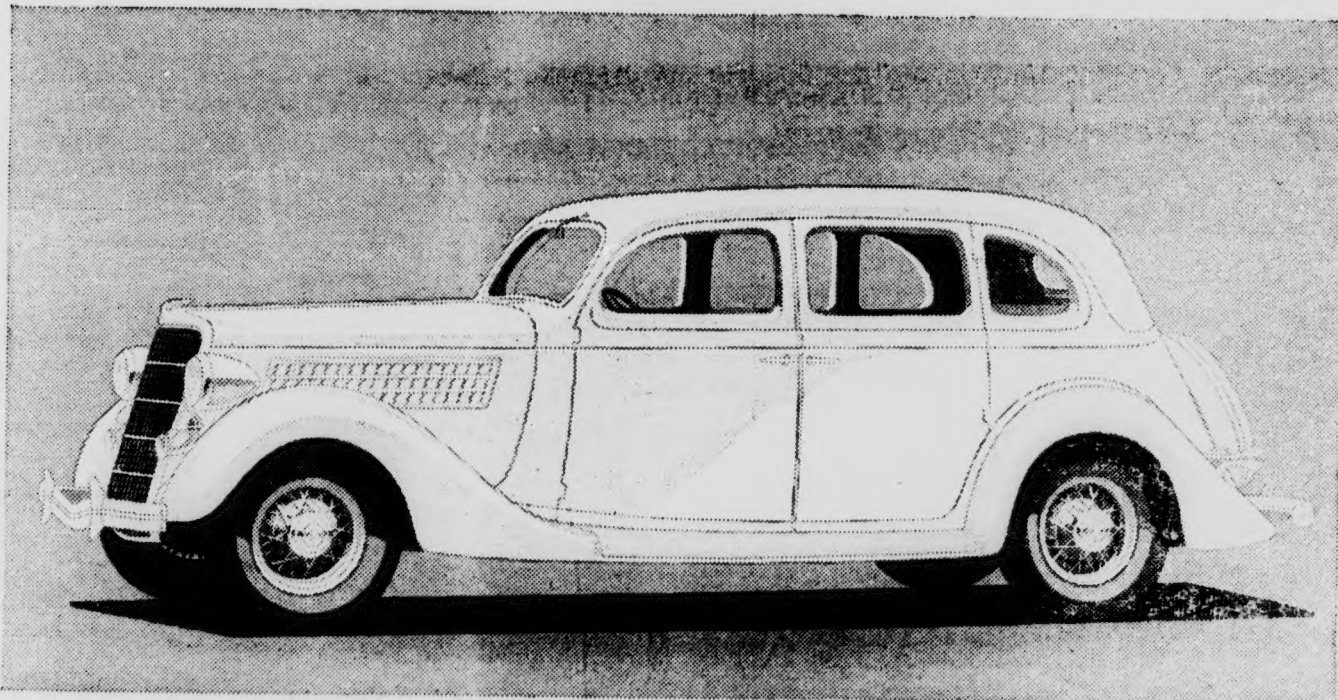
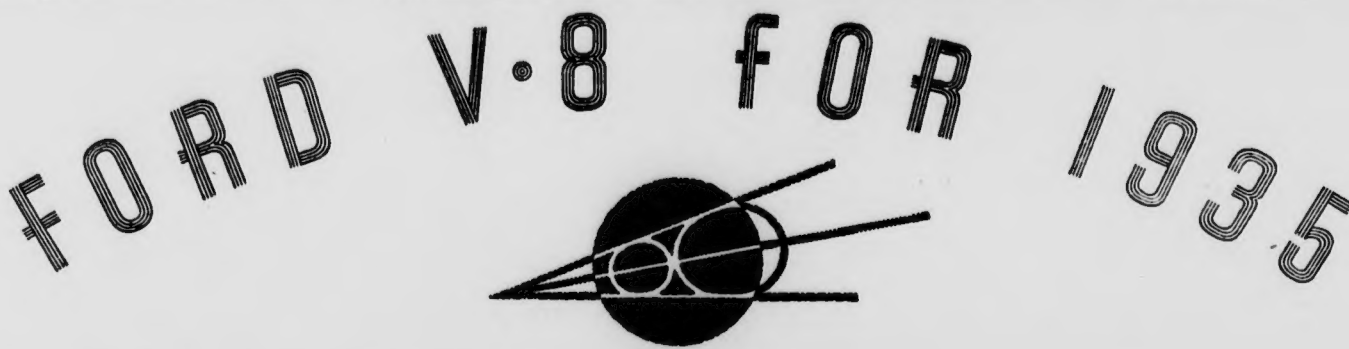
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Ford V-8 for 1935 which make the car  
still easier to drive. New brakes give  
more power for stopping quickly with far  
less foot pressure on the pedal. A new  
type of easy-pressure clutch employs  
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\$720; Phaeton, \$725; Tudor Sedan,  
\$730; Cabriolet (with rumble seat),  
\$815; Fordor Sedan, \$810. TOURING  
SEDANS, with built-in trunk—Tudor  
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**Sunday Services:**  
1:30 p.m.—Sunday School  
2:45 p.m.—Preaching Services  
7:45 p.m. Preaching Service, including Young People's meeting every alternate Sunday  
Wednesday Evenings 8 o'clock  
Prayer Service

**EVANGELICAL**

Rev. H. J. Wood, Pastor  
Morning Worship..... 10.30 a.m.  
Sunday School..... 11.30 a.m.  
Evening Service..... 7.30 p.m.  
Monday, 4 p.m..... Junior C.E.  
" 5 p.m..... Intermed. "  
" 7.15 p.m..... Senior "  
Wednesday, 8 p.m..... Prayer Mtg.

**UNITED CHURCH**

Rev. A. J. Mitchell, Minister  
11.45 a.m. Sunday School  
7.30 p.m. Service.  
The minister will preach Sunday at Westcott at 2.00 p.m.

**CHURCH OF ENGLAND**

Rev. A. D. Currie  
Sunday, Jan 6th  
Holy Communion at 11 a.m.

**LUTHERAN CHURCH**

Rev. J. J. Kuring, Pastor  
Services—English Every Sunday 11 a.m., except the fourth Sunday.  
German—First third and fourth Sundays at 10 a.m.  
Didsbury—German Every Sunday at 2.30 p.m., except the fourth  
English Every Sunday at 8 p.m.

**Burnside Notes.**

Lone Pine W.I. will meet at the home of Mrs. A. Jenkins on Thursday, Jan. 10th.

Mr. Percy Saunders spent Christmas with his sister at Munson.

Mr. Joe Rist spent New Year's with Mr. George Metz.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis McCulloch of Turner Valley have spent the last ten days visiting their homes here.

Albert Dedels of Didsbury spent the holiday with his uncle George Metz and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Arlenson spent the holiday at Acme and Calgary.

Messrs Jack Clark and Idris Jenkins of the Calgary Normal School spent their holidays at their homes here.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Sheila and family and Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Sheila and family spent New Year's with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Topley.

Mrs. Jack Elliott, Miss Dorothy Clippely and Mr. Vego Tort came up from Calgary on Monday and spent New Year's at their respective homes here.

Mrs. A. E. Thompson Sr., Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Thompson Jr. and son Donald, Reg. Jamison, Harold Thompson and Sam McAllister spent New Year's at N. Eckel's.

The dance at the Lone Pine hall on New Year's Eve was a great success, the box of chocolates was won by Mr. Happy Wall. There will be a dance with the same orchestra on Friday Jan. 18th.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Fulkerth and family, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Fulkerth and family, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis McCulloch, Mr. and Mrs. Jim McCulloch and family, Mrs. Jack Elliott and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Frazer spent the New Year at the McCulloch parental home.

**Correspondence.**

The Editor:  
Some time ago I received a letter from an Ontario lady. One paragraph reads as follows: "We are asked again this year for bales of clothing for the needy in the West. We have already sent this fall two cars from this point, of potatoes, beans, canned goods, etc. Now we are asked again for clothing. I think of all our friends and wonder if any one is really so destitute as pictured. When we go to town and see the array of new cars and people, appearances belie hard times, in Ontario at least."

It has been truly expressed so often, before one can truly understand anything one must experience that which is to be understood. It is not thoroughly understood by many people living in Ontario, or other parts, what a Western Canada drought can do, not only to the country, but also to the tempers and lives of the people who are called on to stay put where they are and suffer.

When I read this lady's letter it came to my mind, what have we in this district donated towards our unfortunate fellow-farmers? So far as I know there has been no concerted effort in doing anything.

From the MacLean's Magazine I quote: "Up to mid-November the Saskatchewan Voluntary Rural Relief Committee received and distributed 309 railway carloads of food and clothing. Ontario sent 149; Nova Scotia 3; Saskatchewan 12; Prince Edward Island 60; Manitoba 2; Quebec 3; New Brunswick 21; Alberta 5; British Columbia 49."

An appeal is being made for more foodstuffs and clothing. Inasmuch as we have not any vegetables and potatoes to donate, I believe that one carload of flour would be a welcome to those who are so badly in need. Let us all get together and donate sufficient wheat to make up one carload of flour. Think it over—and act. If we cannot donate this year, don't let us forget the drought-stricken farmers next time such a calamity occurs. The Saskatchewan Public Welfare Commission at Regina will do the distributing. The railway company will carry relief supplies free of charge.

Yours truly,  
Geo. Nielsen,  
Didsbury.

**Odd Names Chosen for 'Phone Firms**

Some of the new rural telephone companies being launched with the approval of the Alberta government possess odd sounding names, a list of incorporations published in the current issue of the Alberta Gazette indicates.

Following are some examples: Dried Meat Lake Mutual Telephone Company (New Norway); Conjur-ing Creek Mutual Telephone Company (Leduc); Ketchamoot Creek Mutual Telephone Co (Tofield), and Brush Hill Mutual Telephone Company (Vegreville).

**Oil Production**

Production of petroleum in Alberta oil fields for November was 98,038 barrels, bringing the total production for the year up to the end of November to 1,160,135 barrels compared with 909,696 barrels for the 11-month period of last year.

**Roving Romance.**

By Lew Wrigglesworth, Didsbury

In reed canoe just built for two,  
With Hula by my side,  
A South Seas gent on pleasure bent  
I sailed Hawaii's tide.

Our bark so brave rides every wave,  
Each foamy crest and hollow,  
To float at ease on limpid seas,  
Where trouble fears to follow.

Likely off song from seraph throng,  
The zephyrs' gentle strumming;  
While softly sweet, the music beat  
In languid, rapturous thrumming.

Thus, day by day we while away  
The minutes and the hours,  
Or roam ashore, like twain of yore  
Thro' verdant Eden-bowers.

Br-r-r, what a change! Uncanny—  
strange!  
My teeth are all a-chatter!  
With sinking heart I wake and start  
—Now what can be the matter?

Noscent breezes sigh thro' the trees  
—Straight from the 'Pole'tis blowing.  
It's broad daylight, the ground is  
white;

All night has it been snowing,  
Nor swarthy lass in gown of grass—  
The wires all are humming  
At such a rate to imitate  
The ukulele's drumming.

—Or so 'twould seem. Confounded  
dream!  
I scramble out of bed.  
That South Sea guy will have to die  
—I'm an Eskimo instead!

**Classified Ads.**

Lost—Brown Horse Blanket, between E. Artman's place and Lee Swingle's on Dec 19. Finder please return to E. Artman or this office.

Hemstitching Also specialising in Daisy-Knit Sweaters and all kinds of Fancywork—See Mary McCann at Mrs. Geo. Julien's, Didsbury (20)

For Sale: Tamarac Posts, all lengths and sizes, at greatly reduced prices. Fir Veneer at Less-Than-Manufacturer's-Cost! You can place your orders for spring delivery. Come, inspect these bargains.—North End Lumber Yard. (51)

**NOTICE TO CREDITORS and CLAIMANTS.**

In the Estate of ERVIN HEISTAND SNYDER, late of the Town of Didsbury, in the Province of Alberta, Farmer, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that all persons having claims on the estate of the said Ervin Heistand Snyder, who died on the 9th day of November, 1934, are required to file with the undersigned Administrator of his Estate by the 1st day of February, 1935 a full statement duly verified, of their claims and any securities held by them, and that after that date the Administrator will distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which notice has been so filed or brought to its knowledge.

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**Motor Vehicle Licenses**

Announcing reduction in fees effective

January 1, 1935. Reduced fees for lower priced passenger cars will be charged as follows:

Not exceeding 100 inch Wheelbase ..... \$10.00  
Exceeding 100 inch up to 105 inch Wheelbase ..... \$12.50  
Exceeding 105 inch up to 110 inch Wheelbase ..... \$15.00  
Exceeding 110 inch up to 115 inch Wheelbase ..... \$20.00

The fee on all cars exceeding 115 inch Wheelbase will be the same as in former years.

A reduction of \$1.00 will also be made in the fees for models made eight years previous to January 1 of the current license year, on those cars with Wheelbase of 120 inches or less.

**All Fees Due and Payable January 1, 1935**

Those Operating cars after January 15 1935, without Licenses, will be Liable for Prosecution.

**Government of Alberta**

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Provincial Secretary

E. Trowbridge,  
Deputy Prov. Secretary

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## WORLD HAPPENINGS BRIEFLY TOLD

A giant flying boat with a cruising range of 3,000 miles and intended ultimately for experimental flights across the Pacific ocean is now being tested for air worthiness.

Fred Hurse, Canadian Pacific telegraph messenger, found three pearls in a quantity of oysters bought at a Woodstock, Ontario, fish store. One pearl was valued at \$35 by a jeweler.

J. N. Cartier, of Montreal, has been appointed vice-chairman of the Canadian Radio Commission. The announcement was made by Minister of Marine Alfred Durneau. Mr. Cartier succeeds Thomas Maher, who resigned in August.

Rear-Admiral Richard E. Byrd flew deep into south east Antarctica, and reported he had made important discoveries of conditions in the thousands of unexplored square miles covered in the first few hours of the tour.

The medical faculty of McGill University, Montreal, will receive a bequest estimated at \$100,000 under the will of the late Mrs. Blanche Eloise Payne Hutchinson, probated at \$163,000 in supreme court before Mr. Justice H. B. Robertson.

Dowager Queen Marie of Roumania hopes to visit North America again some time soon, taking her grandson, young King Peter of Yugoslavia, with her. From there she hopes to continue on around the world.

Purchase of 50,000 pounds of beef by the Alberta relief commission for distribution as food for relief purposes and as a measure to partially relieve the extremely critical beef market at the present time, was announced by Hon. F. S. Grisdale, minister of agriculture for Alberta.

### Duplication of Names

Freighter Belonging To Glasgow Company Also Called "Queen Mary"

It has been discovered that there is a small freighter called Queen Mary belonging to a Glasgow company, the owners of which have generously changed the name of their packet to Queen Mary II. Some years ago, not knowing that there was a racehorse called Cyclops, an Englishman chose the same name for his horse. Registration was refused and he called it Cyclops II. But registration was again refused because there was already a Cyclops II. So he named his horse, Cyclops Too. Possibly we shall see a Queen Mary Too, too. St. Thomas Times-Journal.

Approximately 11,800,000 words are spoken by the average man every year.

## ATHLETE'S FOOT Ringworm Infection Skin Troubles YIELD QUICKLY TO D.D.D.

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## Little Journeys In Science

BACTERIA IN THE SERVICE OF MAN

(By Gordon H. Guest, M.A.)

Scientists believe that bacteria were the first form of life on the earth. Many people believe them to be a form of animal life, but such is not the case, for they are minute plants which can only be observed with the aid of a microscope. These small one-celled organisms are very important because all plant and animal life depends on them. Every person has millions of them in his body, some of which are beneficial. Others cause illness.

All infectious diseases are due to bacteria. They cause tuberculosis, and influenza by gaining entrance to the blood stream, where they multiply very rapidly. Typhoid fever, trench fever, hydrophobia and the black plague are also due to these organisms, which result in death if they get beyond control.

Some bacteria are very useful to man, and contribute much to his well-being. Rawhides could not be changed into leather without the use of certain bacteria, and it would be impossible to make certain kinds of cheese without their assistance. To users of tobacco it will be interesting to know that special tobacco flavors are due not so much to the tobacco itself as to certain kinds of bacteria which take part in the curing of the leaves.

The list of services that bacteria perform for man is almost endless, but perhaps the most important one is the changing of iron into a form in which it can be used. The steel age really depends upon bacteria. Most of our bog iron ore deposits have been laid down by means of iron bacteria. Iron deposits of the pre-Cambrian stratified rocks, the age of which is estimated at approximately sixty million years, are believed to be of bacterial origin. This process of iron formation goes on actively all the time and it is known that certain peat bogs in Minnesota have areas in which the surface deposit contains as much as ninety per cent, of iron ore produced by iron bacteria.

### British Columbia Sugar Beet Factory Proposed

Believed Farmers In Fraser Valley Would Benefit Greatly

Establishment of a sugar beet factory on the lower mainland of British Columbia would be a boon to Fraser Valley farmers and would provide work for hundreds of unemployed, according to experts who have thoroughly investigated the possibilities.

A factory, to be practical, would cost not less than \$1,000,000. Such a plant, however, would consume 100,000 tons of B.C. sugar beets annually and would provide a return to the farmers of at least \$500,000.

The coal mining industry would benefit as the plant would use 6,000 tons of coal or coke for fuel each year and 6,000 tons of limestone for clarification purposes.

Output would be approximately 12,000 tons of refined sugar, which at current price levels would be worth \$1,200,000. In addition 4,000 tons of molasses and more than 5,000 tons of dry beet pulp would be manufactured.

At least 400 men would be employed in the factory.

Experts state the establishment of a sugar beet factory depends on the solution of four major problems. 1. Federal government excise tax of one cent per pound. 2. Continuity of a sufficient supply of raw material. 3. Freight charges. 4. Market possibilities.

### Wonderful New Scales

Can Weigh Impurities In Gas Within Few Minutes

A scales which can weigh the impurities in a gas has been announced at the University of Kansas. The scales weighs directly something hitherto left largely to mathematics, namely the molar weight, which is the sum of the weights of the atoms forming a molecule. This weight depends on not only the number of atoms, but also on how closely they are packed together. The new scales give these weights in a few minutes. Other methods have required hours.

She: "I'm very glad you've got in the dramatic society's next show. Have you much to say?"

He: "Practically nothing. I'm playing the part of a husband."

Experts declare that the bed of clay below London protects the city against earthquakes.

## CAN'T SLIP OR SLIDE FALSE TEETH

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### Sacrificing A Village

English Town Submerged To Increase Manchester's Water Supply

The tiny English village of Mardale has been evacuated in order that plans may be carried out for increasing Manchester's water supply. This will result in the village being submerged. A huge dam is to be erected at the north end of Haweswater, raising the water level by 95 feet and increasing the length of the lake from two miles to four miles and a half. Two years ago Manchester postponed an ambitious scheme in connection with Haweswater on the grounds of economy, and the proposed measure now in hand is only a part of what was once contemplated.

## Mourning Doves: Their Habits and Migration

By JACK MINER.

Among my earliest recollections of my dear mother is how she would gather us kiddies about her and try to teach us how to distinguish the different birds. Yes, it was easy to tell the Red-Headed Woodpecker from the Black-bird and so forth, but to tell the Wild Pigeon from the Dove was a different problem as both were the same color and build. Yes, the Pigeon was fully twice as large and migrated in clouds, but to tell an odd pigeon in the distance from a dove, kept our childish minds guessing but as years rolled on all became an open book and we discovered that the doves nested close to the ground, while the few pigeons' nests that we found were in the tip tops of the highest and thickest trees. In 1878 we came to Canada



Jack Miner examining a doves' nest on his Bird Sanctuary.

and found that Mourning Doves were very rare, but slowly increasing and from 1910 to 1915 I got the Sanctuary fever and started planting trees in earnest and the delight of my heart was that the desirable birds seemed to know this whole place was theirs and the shy, cooing doves became as friendly as robins and nested and multiplied by leaps and bounds. From 1927 to 1930 I had one hundred occupied doves' nests on one acre, but in 1931 and 1932 the starlings drove them out and killed their choice nesting trees. In January 1933 we cut the dead trees down, and the touching pitiful part of it is several pairs of doves returned and nested on the ground where their nesting trees had been cut from. Previous to this I had seen three doves' nests on the ground.

A dove built a nest very low beside one of my pine needle paths. As soon as the two young doves could raise their heads I would stop and speak to them. This happened two or three times a day for nearly a week, but one morning I reached to catch them and to my surprise one flew out. I watched through the Evergreens and thought it had alighted near the edge of the big goose pond. So after banding the one I went to catch the other, but it was not there and as I looked up I saw a sand piper paddling about among the ripples on the pond. A second glance and I saw that the piper was the little dove out fully 50 feet from the shore. Oh! what will I do? By the time I would get to the house and return with rubber boots, the dove will have drowned and I at once sat down and started to pull off my shoes. I will wade out and get him, but I looked up again and this time the little innocent bird evidently knew I was his friend for he started flopping and swimming toward me. I sat still and he landed within ten feet of me, his wet wings drooped, and he toddled and staggered up the bank the best he could. I put both my warm hands about him and dried him off, and then held my hands over the two in the nest and finally went away. I returned in about ten minutes, but mother had

beaten me and was spreading out with her warm breast over them. Owing to my excitement I had forgotten to band him but I went back the next day and neither baby dove flinched, but allowed me to catch and band the one that had flown away.

Doves return here in March, and start in early April to nest from three to five times. They lay two pure white eggs that hatch in thirteen days. To hide and protect their first egg from their egg eating enemies, the old dove usually sits on it and lays another egg the following day. Consequently one of these twins is twenty-four hours the oldest. I have known them to fly in ten days, but usually from twelve to fifteen days. This year we have found several nests on the ground in the cornfields. The doves' only protection from their natural enemies is their speed and their ability to select color protection. I often see one hundred or more rise out of a corn field, when discovered and pursued by a winged enemy.

Last year I banded about five hundred and eighty doves. Sixty-seven of these were reported shot by sportsmen. Georgia, Alabama and Florida reporting forty-three of the sixty-seven. But the first one reported was killed near Kingsville, Texas, on September 27th, and there were odd young doves here at that date.

The pigeon's real home was the virgin forest, but the dove followed the farmer. I have seen odd ones in the southern part of the Prairie Provinces, but strange to me I have not seen one in Nova Scotia or New Brunswick. Three years ago I saw a bunch on that nice bit of farming country near Lion's Head, in the Bruce Peninsula. I have seen them on Manitoulin Island, and this year I saw a pair near Huntsville, Ontario. I have every reason to believe that the younger generations are going to see them as far north as James Bay.

In closing I wish to say that the Mourning Dove is one of the best birds we have on the farm. He eats and digests more weed seeds for the insignificant amount of grains he eats than any other bird in America. Last year a young dove flew against the service wire near my home. I sent its stomach to be analysed. The following is the report. This dove's stomach was not quarter full. If a



Jack Miner and son, Manly F. Miner, who acts as his father's secretary.

person tells you that one adult dove will eat and digest ten thousand small germinatable weed seeds in a day you can believe him.

Professor L. L. Snyder of the Royal Ontario Museum, Toronto, examined one dove's crop and gullet which contained: 8,533 seeds of the Three-Seeded Mercury, 30 seeds of Rag-Weed, and 3 small gragels, and by weight the gizzard contained the same amount.

Professor M. S. Ferguson of the University of Western Ontario, examined one we sent him which contained the following: 1,854 Green Fox-Tail, 40 Yellow Fox-Tail, 7 sweet clover, and 3 grains of wheat

### Buying Special Privileges

Large Sums Paid In Past For This Purpose

Lord Nelson's perpetual pension of £5,000 a year is to be bought out, and his is the last of such pensions. In 1924 the £2,000 a year granted in 1782 to Lord Rodney for his great victory over the French was commuted for a sum of \$42,000. Large sums have been paid in the past to buy out the privileges of certain peers. The duty of a shilling on every ton of coal exported from the Tyne, granted to the Duke of Richmond and his heirs in 1676, was redeemed by a payment of £633,333. The Duke of St. Albans received £18,355 in compensation for his dues as Master of the Hawks, while £478,000 was paid to a former Duke of Atholl in exchange for his sovereign rights in the Isle of Man.

### London-Paris Route Lighted

The airway stretching 225 miles between London and Paris has just been illuminated for night flying. There are 14 flashing beacons giving an identical signal in Morse code, and seven Neon fog-piercing beacons. Many marine lighthouses have had their lights altered so that they project guides for both airmen and seamen.

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### Second Century Bible Found

Gospel Of Matthew And St. Paul's Epistles Are Complete

The discovery of a pile of dusty manuscripts described as the "world's oldest Bible" is announced by Hans Gerstinger, chief of the manuscript section of the Austrian National Library.

The laboriously-written pages, Gerstinger said, dated to the Second Century. He added that several ancient Greek philosophical works, hitherto believed lost, had been found.

The discovery was made in a Cairo bookshop by Herman Junker, director of the German Archaeological Institute there, but its importance was not appreciated until the manuscripts were studied.

The sheets do not include the entire Bible, but the Gospel of Matthew and Paul's Epistles are complete, and there are fragments of the Old Testament. In all, 190 sheets were found.

Special interest was attached to the fact that the work was in the form of a book rather than a scroll. This was held to indicate that Christians of the Second Century were acquainted with the form of a book. Studies at Vienna indicated that the oldest Bible previously known dated from the Fourth Century.

It was reported that the shopkeeper who sold the manuscripts refused to reveal where he had found them, fearing trouble with the Egyptian government.

### Make Crop Ripen Quicker

Russian Farmers Spread Coal Dust Over Cotton Fields

Russian farmers have discovered a way to speed up the ripening of their cotton crops by a month or more. They use coal to warm the cotton plants without burning the coal. This seeming paradox is being performed at Kazakhstan. Obtaining heat from coal without burning is the application of a simple fact of physics that dark colors absorb the heat in the sun's rays better than light colors. The Kazakhstan farmers simply spread coal dust lightly over their fields; about one hundred pounds to an acre. The darkened surface of the land is a better absorber of heat during the day and reradiates more of it as warmth during the night. The higher average temperature of the land during the growing season therefore, shortens the time necessary for the crop to mature by over a month.—From Science.

Contrary to common belief, the eating quality of old carrots is as good or better than that of young carrots, says a Cornell crop specialist.

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## SYNOPSIS

"You've fallen heir to a half-share in plenty of trouble," the lawyer told Gerald Keene. "The Broken Spur has been systematically looting the ranch, and old Joe Carr, your partner, is drinking himself into ruin."

But Keene decided to go see what was happening for himself—not as Gerald Keene, half owner of the Hour-Glass Ranch, but as Duro Stone, tenderfoot in a Montgomery Ward wild west outfit.

Dad Kane, desert rat and luckless prospector till now is returning to tell Dustin and Spike Goddard, owners of the Broken Spur ranch, who had grubstaked him, of his discovery of a rich gold mine, and shows samples of the ore. He sees Broken Spur men rustling Hour-glass cattle and protests against it.

Spike Goddard and Sam Dustin, fearing the old prospector may tell others the things he has seen as to the branding of Carr's cattle, plot to get him to show them the location of the mine and then to kill him.

Gerald Keene, dressed in ridiculous cowboy costume, arrives at the Hour-glass ranch and is hired as a cowboy by Joe Carr. The impersonation of a tenderfoot is successful, and he is accepted as such by the other occupants of the bunkhouse.

(Now Go On With The Story)

## CHAPTER V.—Continued

"Dustin! That damned crook? I wouldn't let him take care of a three-legged burro that I liked. He's been at the bottom of all our troubles."

"Yeah. I know that but we can't prove it. And that's what counts. Who's this new hand you took on, Joe?"

His hand swept toward the bunkhouse, where Stone stood talking to Lee and Worth, both of whom were laughing.

"Just a new man I picked up to-day. He came in and asked for a job. We got to have a new man and he's got to be cheap, so I hired him. He can ride fence. He's just a crazy fool who says he wants to learn the cattle business. He told me so when I hired him. He said he wanted to learn it from the ground up. We've got right down to the ground now on the Hour-glass," he said grimly. "He's startin' good. Set him to work in the mornin' ridin' fence on the west line. Did you see his outfit?"

"Did I? I wish I'd looked like that when I was his age. I'd sure have filled the eye of some good-lookin' girl. Don't borrow troubles, Joe. It'll come fast enough. Give me a share of that drink."

Carr poured him a generous half-portion and shuffled the papers on his desk.

"If I had no more cares than that new hand," he growled, "I'd get drunk for a week. He ain't a bad lookin' kid. Pity he's such a damned fool. Anybody's a damned fool who tries to make money off cattle unless he's crooked at the start. Duro Stone! That's sure one hell of a name."

Duro Stone seemed stiff and sore

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when Lee pulled him from his blankets at daylight.

"Nice fat job for you," he growled. "Crewe wants you."

Crewe, meeting him at the kitchen, gave him his orders briefly.

"You'll ride fence on the West line. If any posts are down, put 'em up an' restrain the wire. Know how to do it?"

"Sure. Like fencin' a hog-pasture. I suppose the line is marked."

"I'll show you on the map. . . ." Crewe led the way to the office but was stopped by Edith. She was in riding dress and she was eating a hasty sandwich.

"If you're sending him"—she nodded at Stone—"out to ride fence, I can show him. I'm going out for a ride and I may as well ride that way. Come on. . . ."

Stone followed her out to the corral where his pony stood saddled, and Lee brought Edith's horse from the stable. Two minutes later they plodded their way across the East pasture with its two thousand acres toward the West line.

That West line ran for miles straight North over a yellowing grass mesa. There were many breaks in the wire that there had been no men, or too few, to repair and many posts were down. From time to time Stone dismounted, whistling, reset his posts, stapled his wire and made the ends fast, and Edith watched every move he made.

Mile after mile that they rode was checked off in red letters in the diary of his life. He had seen many women but never one like this. Her eyes were alight with the Wine of the West. . . . And there is no wine fermented by mere man that is like it. . . . Her lips were redly parted and her cheeks were aglow with a light that has never been seen but by those whose eyes are opened by the gods. She gave to every motion of her horse and rode, a perfect poem, across that sunlit mesa under Duro Stone's adoring eyes. He had never believed that such a woman lived west of the Pillars of Hercules. Himself, fairly well read in the classics, he repeated these lines that Marlowe wrote:

"The face that launched a thousand ships  
And burned the topless towers  
Of Hium."

Then he turned to her. . . . Helen. . . . Edith. . . . He did not care at all about the name. That was quite incidental. But he never got a chance to say what was on his mind.

Far below them, below the slope of the hill, a pool of quiet dark water showed like prune-colored silk under four great cotton-wood trees and a few cattle stood far off on the slope of the hill.

"Look there. . . ." Edith pointed to the great sweep of the land before them. "You've been with us only a few hours but you must have heard the trouble that we are having. . . ."

He nodded. His gaze seemed to center on his horse's ears but he was always conscious of the golden voice. . . . It's just hard luck," she said. "Hard luck and our own mismanagement. . . ."

"Thank God," he thought. "Here is one person sane enough to realize that Fate doesn't sit up at nights to deal us bad hands. She gives us brains to be used. . . ." Aloud he said:

"It's a good land but she sure doesn't show much cow-life."

"Let's eat our sandwiches here," she suggested as their ponies hurried them through the brush toward the water, where the springs of those troublesome Soda Springs caught the sunlight. She slipped the bit from her horse's mouth and watched him thrust his muzzle deep in the pool. Then she smiled at Stone, who had dismounted on the "off" side and stood awkwardly watching her.

"You're entirely new to range

work, aren't you?" She pointed accusingly to his unsaddled pony. "We don't, as a rule, unsaddle at work. Might need the pony quickly. It's just a hint. You understand?"

"Oh, yes, and thank you. I'll need a lot of hints. I thought the horse'd like to rest. It seemed tired. . . ."

"For Heaven's sake don't call your horse 'It,'" she flared at him. Then she smiled at him again. There was a refreshing ingenuousness about this new hand that amused her. But why under Heaven should any man take up such a life? If her father, who had been a cattleman for more than fifty years, could not succeed, how could an amateur like this man Stone look for success? She felt vaguely sorry for him.

"How'd you make out in the bunkhouse last night?" she asked. "Sometimes Baines thinks he's a qualified practical joker."

"He put some sand-spurs inside my shirt," said Stone. "But he was right pleasant about takin' 'em out. . . . after I rubbed his nose in 'em."

She laughed a little and to her own astonishment found herself flushing warmly under his eyes.

"I wouldn't let my horse eat all those fox-tails," she said in desperation. "They'll make his mouth sore. . . . Look! There's a cow over there. . . . The first I've seen to-day."

A big dun cow thrust through the heavy brush followed closely by a bawling calf that struggled for its natural rights. They watched the cow as she flung into the pool with the calf hanging at her flanks, and Edith's face suddenly hardened.

"Look at that cow," she said quickly. "That's one of our Hour-glass cows. . . . Now look at the calf. . . ."

"Well. . . ." Stone looked the calf over leisurely. "Don't you see it's got the Broken Spur brand? Haven't you ever read any Western fiction while you were tryin' to prepare yourself to be a cow-puncher? Don't you know that a cow will only raise her own calf? Haven't you ever heard that?"

"Come to think of it, I believe I have," he said slowly. "But. . . . look. The cow's a Broken Spur cow, too. . . . There on her hind shoulder. . . ."

She laughed at the words but she was studying the calf. The Broken Spur brand stood out red and angry.

"Here's your first lesson," she said. "I can see exactly what has happened. Whoever was doing the stealing, got the calf first. Then when the calf was branded, they had to change the brand on the cow. . . . If they'd vented the calf it would have shown they'd been tampering with brands. Do you know what a running iron is?"

"Kind of a crooked iron poker, isn't it?" he asked innocently.

"Something like one. I hope you never have to use one. It's used to renew brands. . . . Or to steal cattle. It just happens that I know that cow. She's one of our blooded stock and was a milk-cow at the ranch. Every man of the Hour-glass knows her. Why, her flank is hot yet from the iron."

(To Be Continued)

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By Aline Michaelis

## NIGHT'S FREEDOM

At night with my windows open  
To the wale sky's star-set arch,  
The room behind me silent  
And Earth's footsteps a distant  
march.

I am free with a splendid freedom  
Which in day I cannot boast,  
With the deepening shadows about  
me  
And above the starry host.

I am free with a soaring freedom  
For the quest I most desire  
Down ways of hopes and dreaming  
While night and silence conspire  
To bring me such joyous promise  
As by day I never knew,  
When I fling my windows open  
To starlight and thoughts of you!

## Penalty That Fits

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The medal will show on the obverse side specially-drawn crowned effigies of their majesties with the inscription in Roman letters MCMXXV (1910-1935). The reverse side will bear a view of Windsor Castle as the principal house of the royal house of Windsor.

The medal will be issued in two sizes. The larger will be 2 1/4 inches in diameter struck in standard silver and available to the public at a cost of a guinea (approximately \$5) apiece. The smaller, struck in fine silver, will be 1 1/4 inches in diameter and will be obtainable for half a crown (approximately 60 cents).

Special arrangements for sale of the medal in the Dominions will be announced later.

## Leaves Money To College

Christian Smith, the German tailor who had pressed the clothes of Dartmouth College students for the past ten years, left his life's savings of \$9,000 to the faculty of the college, the probate of his will disclosed. To a son and daughter he had not seen since the Great War he left \$1 each.

When you are offered something for nothing you should accept it, if you can afford to pay double its value.

## Little Helps For This Week

"The Lord is thy keeper, the Lord is thy shade upon thy right hand." Psalm 121:5.

"Great peace have they that love Thy law, and nothing shall offend them." Psalm 119:165.

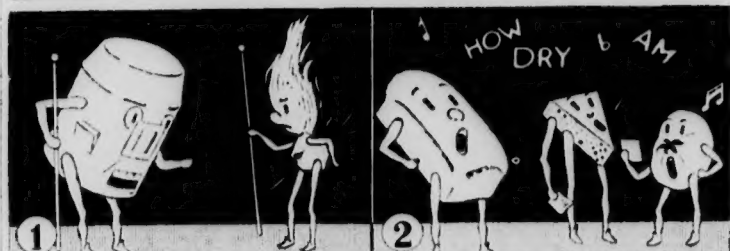
I rest beneath the Almighty's shade,  
My grief expires, my troubles cease;  
Thou, Lord on whom my soul is stayed,  
Will keep me still in perfect peace.

One great sign of the practical recognition of the "divine moment" and of our finding God's habitation in it, is constant calmness and peace of mind. Events and things come with the moment; but God comes with them too. So that if He comes in the sunshine we find rest and joy, and if He comes in the storm we know He is King of the storms and our hearts are not troubled. God Himself, though possessing a heart filled with the tenderest feelings is nevertheless an everlasting tranquility, and when we enter into His holy tabernacle our souls necessarily enter into the Tabernacle of rest. T. C. Upham.

The Italian scientists who found vitamin M in an onion ought to locate the rest of the alphabet in garlic.

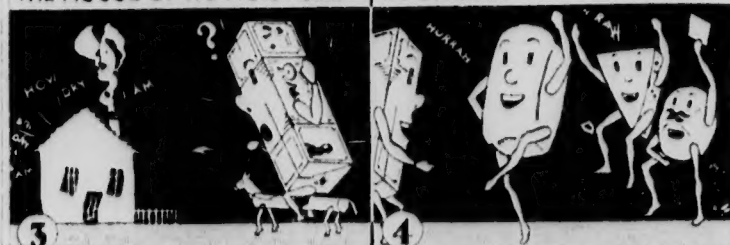
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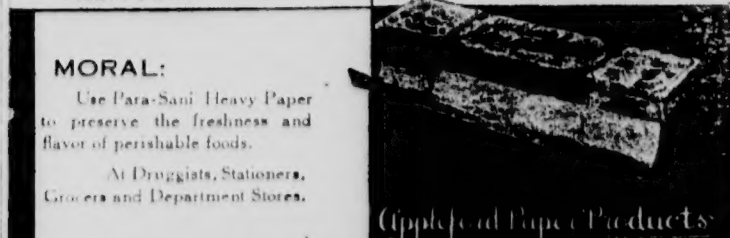
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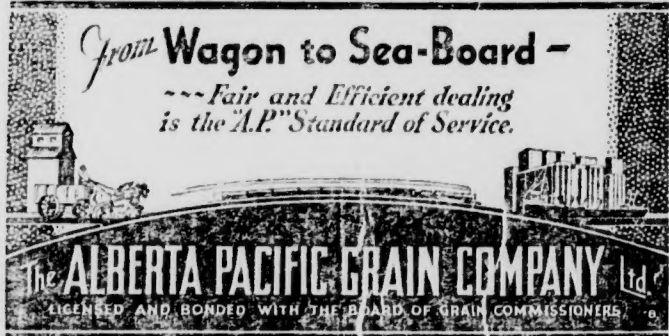
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## Elkton Notes.

A Community Christmas Party was held in Elkton School on Thursday Dec. 20th afternoon. Although there was no snow, Christmas decorations and a beautiful tree, lent a Christmas air to the occasion. Games were enjoyed by young and old alike. Miss Bessie Evans was in charge of the Junior group, and Miss Edith Mann was in charge of the senior group. Honors at games were won by Mrs. A. Hogg, Mrs. R. Befus, Miss Jean Gurney, Messrs. W. Dobson, F. Kynch, K. Brown, M. Befus, C. Lynch, N. Hogg and E. Befus.

At four-thirty tea was served. A holly basket flanked by red candles centred the tea table where Mrs. W. Blain and Mrs. A. H. Dobson poured. The children sat at a special table centred with an (ice palace).

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## Things To Remember

The annual meeting of Didsbury U.F.A. Local No. 12 will be held in the Didsbury Opera House, Friday, January 11, 1935, at 1 p.m.

A. Melville Anderson, optometrist and sight specialist, will make his regular visit to the Rosbud Hotel on Monday, January 7, 1935. Eyes examined and glasses fitted. (11c)

## Freak Eggs.

Mr. W. Smith of the North End Lumber Yard reports one of the largest eggs we have seen or heard of which was laid by one of his pullets about two weeks ago. The egg measured 8 3/4 inches in circumference around the centre and weighed 6 ozs.

On being opened by Mr. J. J. Tallon of the Newcastle Coal Co., Drumheller, it was found to contain a perfect average sized egg with one yolk and shell, outside of which was the white of egg and another shell.

Mr. Smith reported that for some time the pullet had been laying a double-yolked egg every other day, and then exceeded itself with the big one. The pullet is still laying double-yolked eggs.

## Lady Curlers

### Wish to Organize

All the ladies who are interested in curling are asked to get in touch with the secretary Mrs. J. A. McFhee.

## Melvin Notes

Mr. and Mrs. Leeson had a very pleasant surprise lately when Mr. Leeson's sister Mrs. F. G. Arneson of Belfwood, Man. visited them for a few days on her way to visit their relatives in Vancouver.

Miss Marion Leeson of Calgary spent Christmas with her parents.

Much sympathy is extended to Mrs. Harold Bliss and daughter, also to Mr. and Mrs. August Krebs and family on account of the death of Mr. Harold Bliss. Mr. Bliss will be very much missed in our district.

Miss Mildred Brown of Crossfield and Miss Hazel Roy visited Miss Dorothy Youngs over the New Year holiday.

Mr. Daniels left Wednesday morning to take up his duties as teacher of the Nordegg School.

Mr. and Mrs. Carlson and family spent Sunday with Mr. Chas. Foss.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Greig spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. G. Carlson.

Mr. and Mrs. Leeson and family spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Phillipson in town.

Mrs. Chas. Youngs, Miss Dorothy and Miss Hazel Rae attended the funeral of Mrs. Sam Adair of Murray Valley, which was held in Olds on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Summers of Calgary spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Summers.

Mr. Harold Pemberton is spending the holidays in Calgary.

Mrs. Ross Phillip of Murray Valley spent New Year's with her sister Mrs. Stewart Greig.

The New Year's guest of Mr. and Mrs. George Youngs were Mr. Sidney and Miss Cora O'Brien of Crossfield, Miss Mildred Brown of Crossfield, Miss Hazel Rae, Mrs. Chas. Youngs and Dorothy.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Johnston and family spent New Year's with Mr. and Mrs. W. Morton.

Guests at Mr. Peter Johnston's home for Christmas were Mr. and Mrs. Froyer of Didsbury, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Johnson, Mr. Artie Froyer and Mrs. Johnson of Didsbury.

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## LOCAL & GENERAL

Dr. and Mrs. Clarke and family motored to Edmonton for Xmas.

Bill Ross spent New Year's in Calgary.

Miss Florence Reiber visited with Calgary friends over the weekend.

Miss Mollie Pearson spent a few days last week visiting friends in Calgary.

Mr. and Mrs. W. McFarquhar spent Christmas with their parents in Calgary.

Miss Sissons of the Didsbury General Hospital spent New Year's with her parents at Lacombe.

Mr. Nick Nowak visited with his parents at Calgary during the holidays.

Mr. W. E. Morrow of Lethbridge was a Christmas visitor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Reiber.

Mr. and Mrs. Barney Klassen visited with the former's parents at Fort Saskatchewan at Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Purdy of James River are visiting Mrs. Purdy's parents Mr. and Mrs. E. Kercher.

Mr. Otto Mueller of Ghost Pine is visiting with his sister Mrs. A. C. Fisher.

Mr. Max Hercheck of Chipman, Alta. was a visitor at the Harry Pearson home over the holidays.

The Reiber family drove to Olds on New Year's and had dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Sam Reiber.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Studer of Lethbridge spent Christmas with their parents here.

Ald. Aymer Liesemer of Calgary visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Liesemer over the holidays.

Miss Margaret Ranton of the Royal Bank, Lacombe, spent the holidays at her home here.

According to the Alberta Gazette Messrs. C. E. Reiber, A. C. Fisher, J. W. Halton and S. Willis have been appointed official auditors.

Mr. Edwood Evans of Pincher Creek is spending his Christmas vacation with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. W. G. Evans.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Allen of Westlawn were holiday visitors with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Allen.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Sutherland of Ponoka spent Christmas with Mrs. Sutherland's mother, Mrs. George Smith.

Mr. W. J. Scheidt attended the provincial U.F.A. Co-operative convention at Edmonton on December 18 and 19, 1934.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Weber of Vermillion are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Weber. Pete is also renewing acquaintances around town.

Mr. Al. Russell of Calgary, former principal of the High School, visited with friends here during Xmas week.

Miss Edith Mitchell of Calgary visited with her parents, Rev. and Mrs. A. J. Mitchell during the Christmas holidays.

Mr. Melvyn Huget of the Royal Bank, Hanna, was a Christmas visitor with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Huget.

Messrs. Jim Kirby and Tom Johnson motored to Calgary to spend Christmas Day with Mr. Kirby's parents.

Mr. Chas. Ratcliffe of Kimberley, B.C. was a Christmas visitor with Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Clemens. On his return home he was accompanied by Mrs. Ratcliffe and children, who had spent several weeks here.

Messrs. Ormond Phillipson, Geo. Hawkes and Tom Clarke, and the Misses Jessie McCoy, Connie Hoggood and Joyce Moyle, who are students at the University of Alberta, are spending their holidays at their respective homes.

The W.C.T.U. will meet at the home of Mrs. C. F. Rennie on Thursday, January 10, 1935, at 3 o'clock p.m. The "World's Day of Prayer" will be observed and an appropriate program is being arranged. All ladies cordially invited.

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